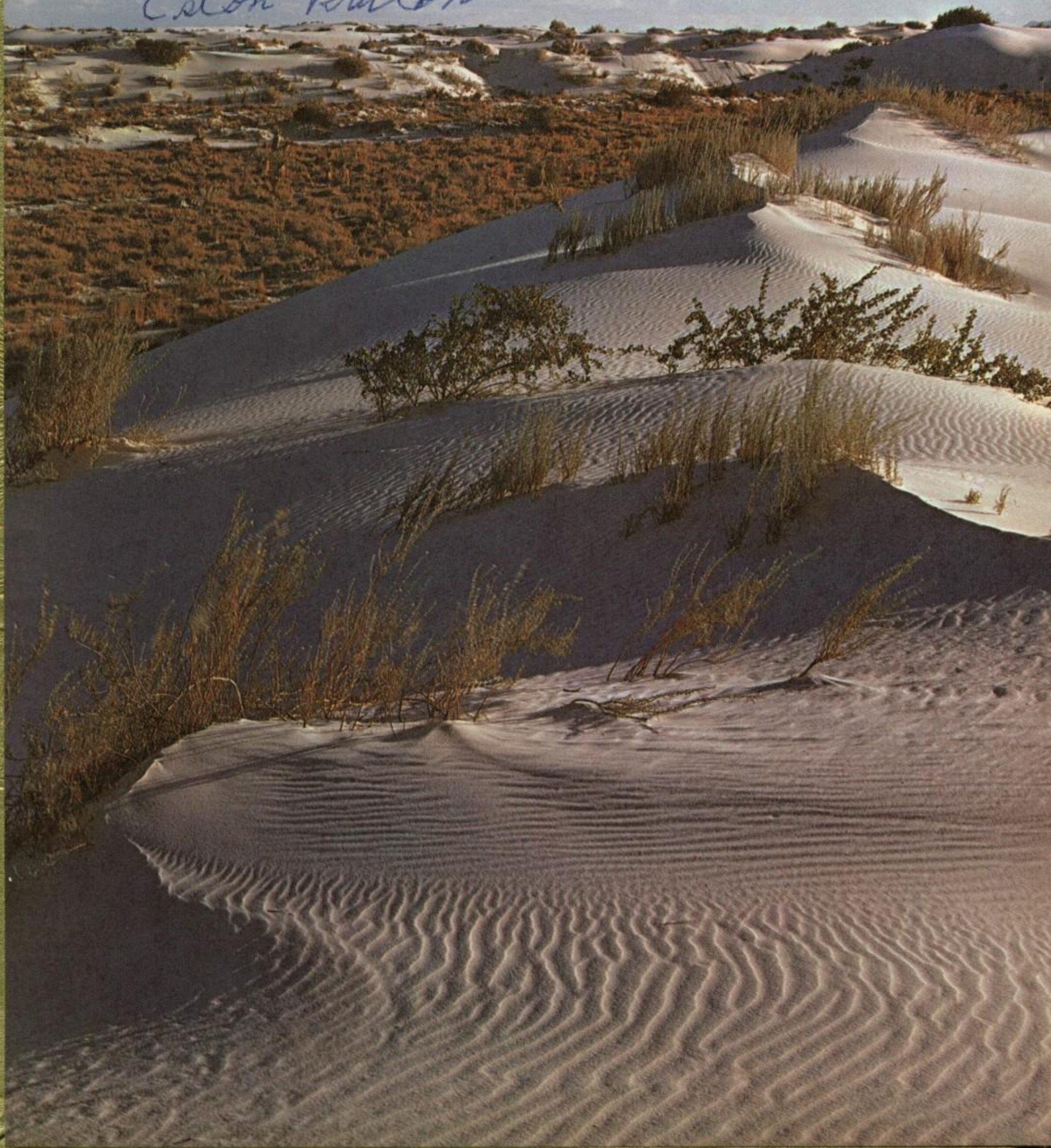




**COUGAR**

*Eston Batton*







# *Seniors of 1963 — Aquilla High School*

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## *In Memoriam*



On June 20, 1962, Tyrus Padgett Sparks, a member of our Fourth Grade, was taken from us, and the emptiness that has followed from his going has shown just how much his ready smile and pleasing personality had endeared him to all of us.

Now that he is in Heaven, we shall try to partially compensate for his loss by being deeply and humbly grateful for having had him to know and to love for an all too-brief period of time.



**Administration**

## *Superintendent's Message*

Seniors of 1963, I congratulate you upon having reached one of your goals, and I strongly urge you to work even harder toward all of the higher goals that will contribute most to your happiness and most prosperous living. Because I have come to love you as though you were my own, rest assured that my prayers, my hopes, and my help, if needed, will always be with you and available to you.

Sincerely and affectionately yours,

*Eston Batton*  
Eston Batton



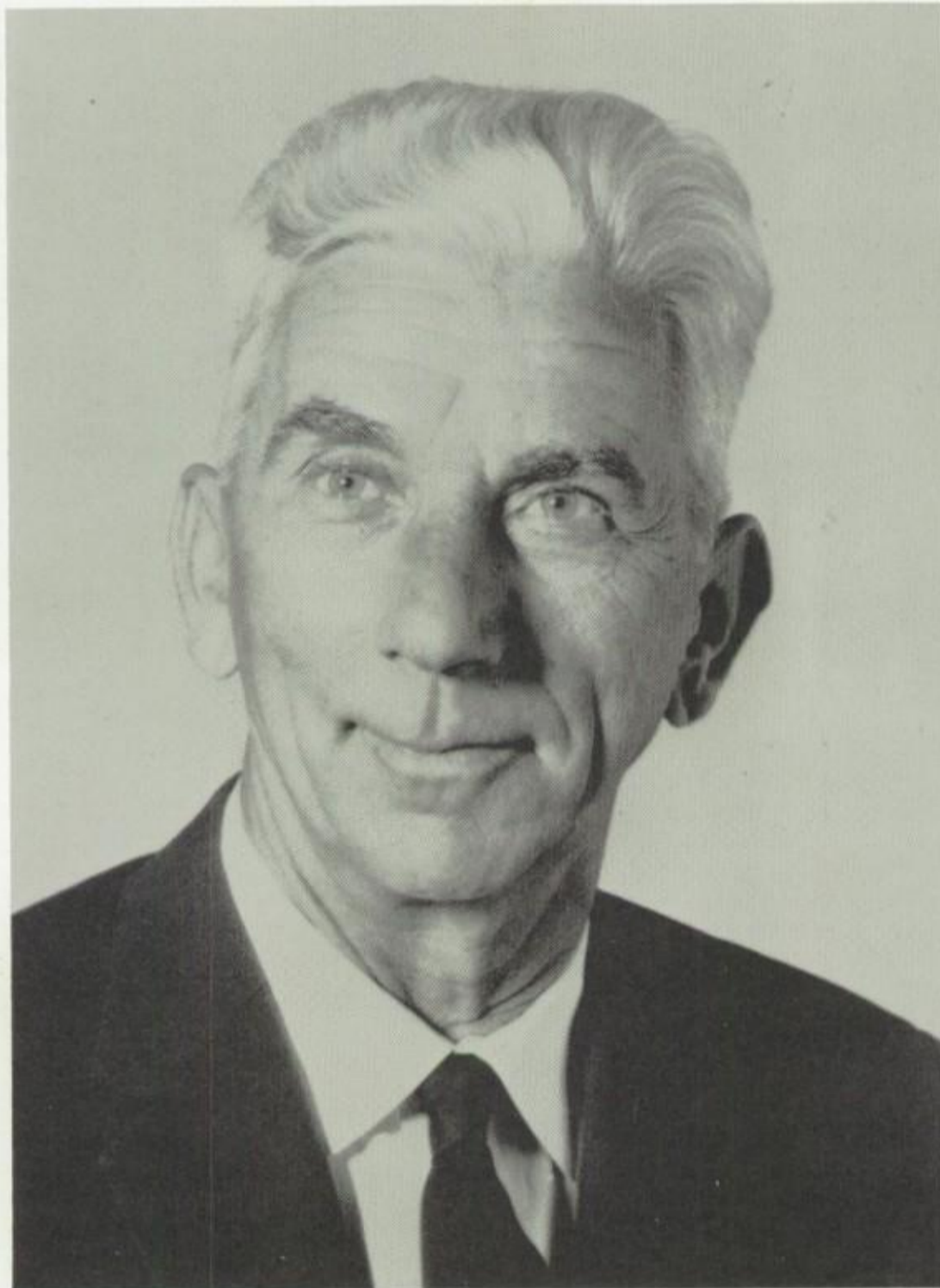
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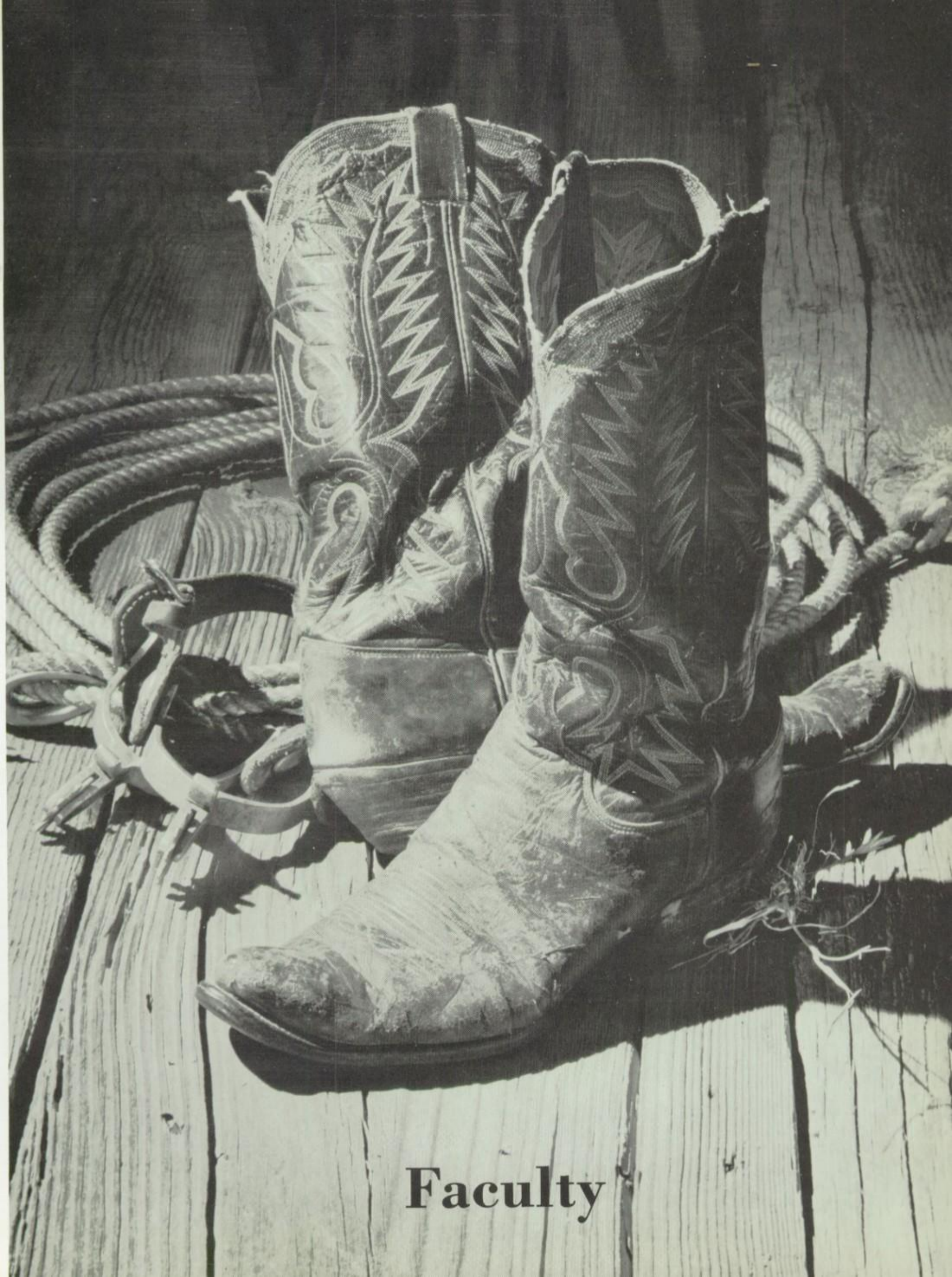
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## *Dedication*



We, the Senior Class of 1963, wish to show our gratitude to our Superintendent, Mr. Eston Batton, for the consideration and kindness he has shown to the faculty and student body for the past three years; to him who has made life at Aquilla so pleasurable and enjoyable; to him who has served so uncomplainingly and so faithfully as superintendent, coach, teacher, and friend; to him we wish to say "thank you" by dedicating this edition of the 1963 Cougar to our very good friend, Mr. Eston Batton.





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# Faculty



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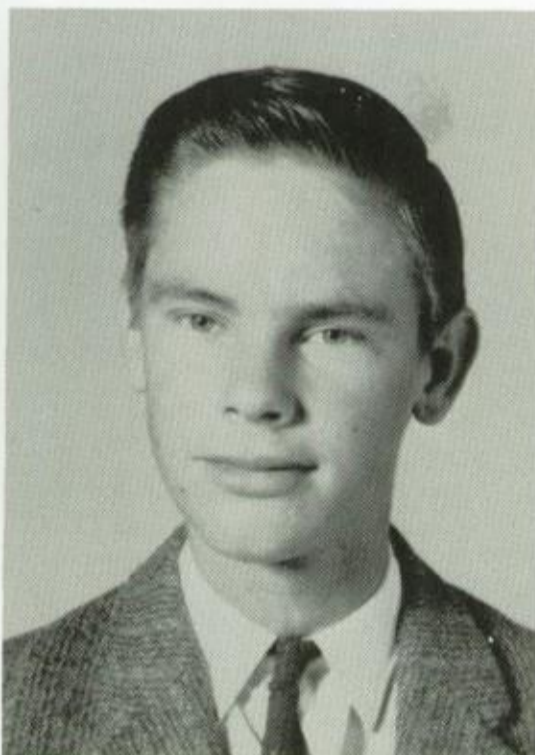
**Seniors**

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## *Seniors*



BETTY ALEXANDER  
"Patience is powerful"



JIMMY CHUPEK  
"Everything begins with an  
idea"



RUTH ANN DANIEL  
"Whatever's worth doing -  
is worth doing well"



GLEND A HARTIS  
"Where there is a will,  
there is a way"



LINDA HARTIS  
"What I will, I can"



GAYLE HERRING  
"As long as there is life,  
there is hope"

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## *Seniors*



ALAN HOELSCHER  
"If I rest, I rust"



DORIS HUTYRA  
"Silence and solitude are  
the soul's best friends"



BILLY MONTGOMERY  
"Anything done right is  
never wrong"



LARRY REESE  
"Opportunity wears a smil-  
ing face"



EVA SHELTON  
"There is one proof of  
ability - Action"



ROSE MARIE SULAK  
"Without the past there  
can be no future"

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## Seniors



JERRY WILLIS  
"Forward ever, backward never"



PEGGY WORLEY  
"It matters not how long  
you live, but how"

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Secretary: BETTY ALEXANDER

CLASS MOTTO: "United we stand,  
Divided we fall"

CLASS FLOWER: Red Rose

CLASS COLORS: Blue and White

CLASS SONG: "Graduation Day"



### Class Parents:

MR. and MRS. T. B. ALEXANDER

# Our Favorite Pastimes

Ruth Ann and Goldie



Swimming for Peg



Eva likes to write letters.



Seamstress Linda



Hairstyling by Glenda



Rose & her novels



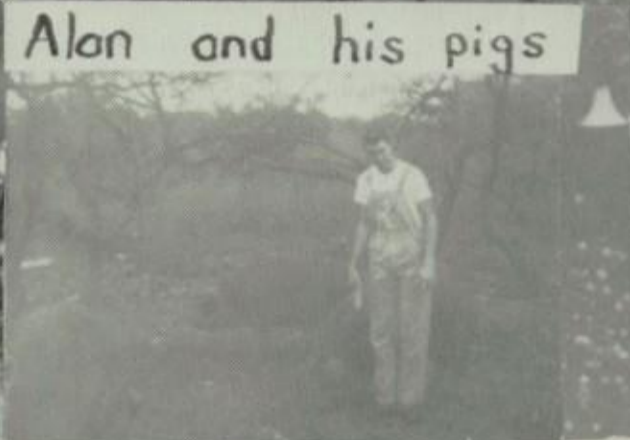
Pianist - Doris



Billy - Aquilla's Flash



Alan and his pigs



Larry enjoys his radio



Gayle goes skating



Terry says "Never this"



Betty and brother Squirrel Hunters



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Turkey Supper-Nov. 12



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The Morning After the Night Before



Freshman Initiation-"Shine those shoes and carry those books."



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Christmas Party at A.H.S.



Going to School



Those Cotton-Picking Seniors



Elementary Graduation



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School Carnival



Junior Play

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**Juniors**

# *Juniors*



Donald Crow

COLOR - Green and White

Stanley Gregory



Marita Hill

SONG - "Roses Are Red"

Martha Hutyra



## CLASS MOTHER



Mrs. Mary Crow

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Dianne Pierce

FLOWER - Orchid

Jerry Reese



Bruce Stevens

MOTTO - "Help Yourself And  
Heaven Will Help You"

Richard Urbanovsky



# Sophomores



# Sophomores



Bobby Buchanan



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Anna Montgomery



James Sohm



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Judy Worley

COLORS - Avocado and Apricot

SONG - "Monster Mash"

FLOWER - Calendula

MOTTO - Borrowing makes  
sorrowing. He who goes a-  
borrowing goes a-sorrowing



**Freshmen**

## *Freshmen*



Carol Chupik



Bobby Crow



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Albert Hoelcher



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Tony Lambert



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Sammy Steele



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CLASS FLOWER - Red Carnation

Class Parents

CLASS SONG - "Patches"

CLASS COLORS - Candy Apple Red  
and Metallic Blue

CLASS MOTTO "We Shall Climb  
The Ladder to Success!"

MR. and MRS. ARTHUR STEELE









**Elementary**

## *Eighth Grade*



Dwain Daniel  
Debbie Gerik  
Bertha Pick



Lela Shelton  
Marie Svrcek  
Frankie Urbanovsky



Elizabeth Waller  
Dian Wills

## *Seventh Grade*

Curtis Butcher  
Ronald Finnegan  
Dennis Gerik



Glenda Pack  
Linda Pack  
Tommy Ryno



Dale Sulak  
Edith Urbanovsky  
Karen Worley



## *Sixth*

Jean Carpenter  
Andrea Gatlin  
Marsha Horn



Vivian Lambert  
Danny Scrivner  
Mary Lou Urbanovsky



## *Fifth*

Ricky Adams  
Dennis Bailey  
Billy Buchanan



Wayne Crow  
Mike Horn  
Shelia Miller



John Ondrej  
Holley Pick  
Gary Pustejovsky



Randy Ryno  
Charlie Shelton  
Michael Simmons



Patricia Strickland  
Veronica Sulak  
Pamela Waller  
James Ward





## *Fourth*

Jimmy Carpenter  
Jerry Gerik  
Elizabeth Ondrej



Barry Spruell  
Joyce Urbanovsky



Carolyn Ward  
Sherry Wills

## *Third*

Donald Bailey  
Bivian Cox



Jana Gatlin  
Ronald Gerik  
Vicki Gibson



Diane Ryno  
Donna Simmons  
Helen Urbanovsky



Martha Ward  
Benny Worley  
Gary Scott





Deborah Bailey  
Bennie Buchanan  
Hal Cox



Dennis Hill  
Cynthia Miller  
Barbara Ondrej



Ronald Pustejovsky  
Linda Williams  
Garry Wills  
Debra Woodruff

*Second*



*First*

Linda Adams  
Jerry Burkhart



Rhonda Etter  
James Gerik  
Cheryl Hill



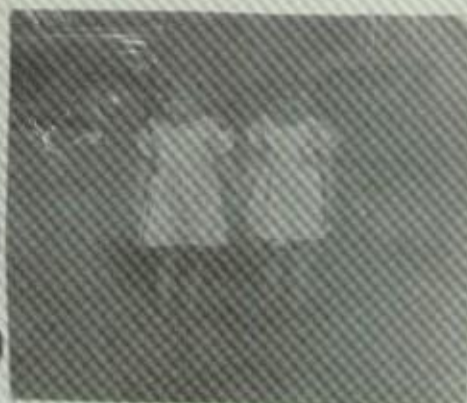
Ricky Jobe  
Diana Porter  
Linda Scott



Randall Scrivner  
Thomas Sulak  
Elton Ward

Our

Seniors



Now



And



Then



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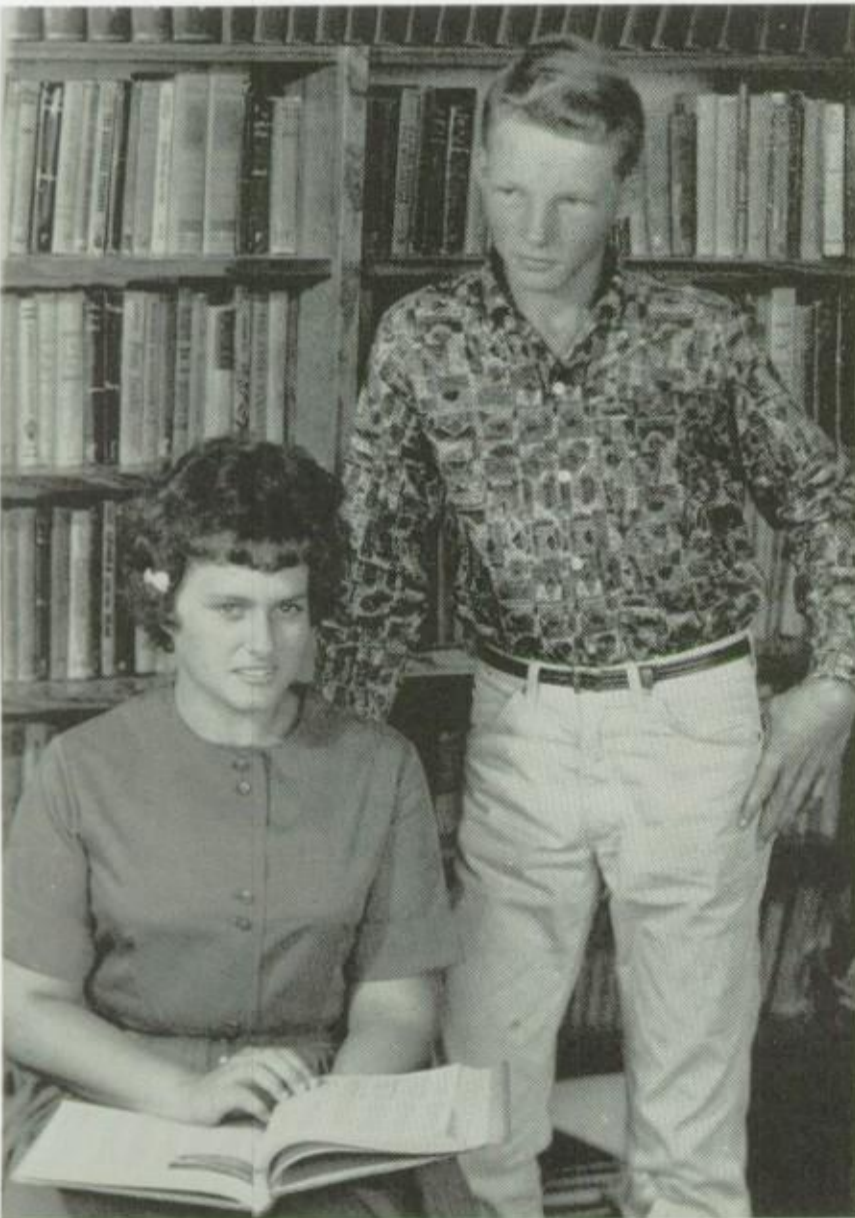


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JUNIORS

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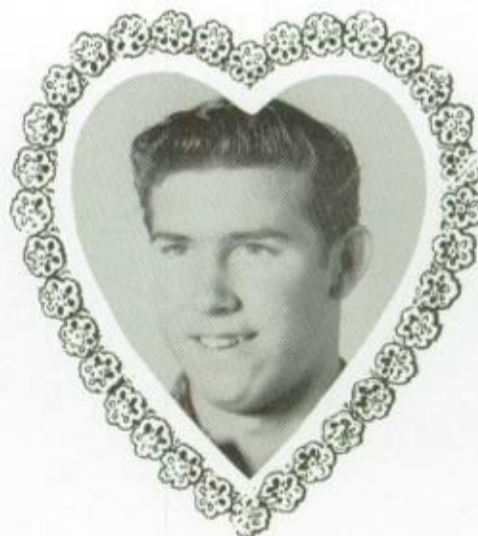


**Activities**



L. Hartis, Spruell, G. Hutyra, Alexander, Montgomery, P. Worley, M. Hutyra, Daniel, D. Hutyra, Herring, Lambert, J. Sulak, J. Worley, Shelton, Chupik, Williams, G. Hartis - Mgr., Mr. Darnell - Coach, R. Sulak - Asst. Mgr.

## *Sweetheart*



STANLEY GREGORY

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Abbott at Aquilla



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## *High School King and Queen*

King - Billy Montgomery  
Queen - Ruth Daniel  
Attendants - Gary Wills,  
Debra Woodruff, Deborah  
Bailey, Ronald Pustejovsky,  
Linda Williams

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## *King and Queen Nominees*



Rose Marie Sulak, Jimmy Chupik;  
Judy Worley, Bobby Buchanan;

Dianne Pierce, Richard Urbanovsky;  
Carol Chupik, Sammy Steele

## *Elementary King, Queen, and Nominees*



Queen Pamela Waller - King Charlie Shelton and Attendants: Diana Porter, Cheryl Hill, Barbara Ondrej, Rhonda Etter, and Gary Wills

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## *"Headin For A Weddin"*



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